

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGAttachment # 2
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Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Leon County, Florida (the "County") will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, April 29, 2003, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as such matter may be heard, at the County Commission Chambers, 5th Floor, Leon County Courthouse, 301 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida, to consider adoption of an ordinance entitled, to wit:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 11, OF THE CODE OF LAWS OF LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA, BY CREATING ARTICLE XX ENTITLED "PUBLIC SERVICE TAX"; PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY AND AMOUNT OF THE TAX; PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION AND REMITTANCE OF THE TAX; PROVIDING FOR COMPENSATION TO THE SELLER OF THE UTILITY SERVICE FOR COLLECTING THE TAX; PROVIDING THAT IT SHALL BE UNLAWFUL FOR A SELLER TO FAIL TO COLLECT, REPORT AND REMIT THE TAX; PROVIDING FOR EXEMPTIONS; PROVIDING FOR AN AUDIT; AUTHORIZING THE PROMULGATION OF RULES AND REGULATIONS; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

All interested parties are invited to present their comments at the public hearing at the time and place set out above.

Anyone wishing to appeal the action of the Board with regard to this matter will need a record of the proceedings and should ensure that a verbatim record is made.

In accordance with Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact Christine Coble or Facilities Management, Leon County Courthouse, 301 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, by written request at least 48 hours prior to the proceeding. Telephone: 488-9962 or 488-1948; 1-800-955-8771 (TDD), or 1-800-955-8770 (Voice), or 711 via Florida Relay service.

Copies of said ordinance may be inspected at the following locations during regular business hours:

Leon County Courthouse
301 S. Monroe Street
5th Floor Reception Desk
Tallahassee, FL 32301

and

Leon County Courthouse (Clerk's Office)
301 S. Monroe Street, Room 224
Tallahassee, FL 32301

APRIL 19, 2003